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Applicant(s): Shannon, et al.



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Application No.: 10/001,765

) Examiner: Unknown

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Title: Radially Expandable Tubular Stented Grafts

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1. Attached is a copy of the official filing receipt received from the PTO in the above application for which issuance of a corrected filing receipt is respectfully requested.

2. The deletion of names of the following persons was not deleted, which was submitted in the Deletion of Inventors under 37 CFR §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b):

## Error

John McIntyre (Vista, CA)  
 Ronald L. Clinkenbeard, (Mission Viejo, CA)  
 Yizi Chu (Santa Ana, CA)

## Correct Data

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3. The correction is not due to any error by applicant, and no fee is due.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Serial No.: Unknown	)	Examiner: Unknown
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Filed: October 31, 2001	)	
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Title: Radially Expandable Tubular Stented	)	
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**DELETION OF INVENTORS UNDER 37 CFR §§1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)**

**Statement Requesting the Deletion of the Name or Names of the  
Person or Persons who are not Inventors in the continuation-in-part  
Application Submitted Herewith**

Commissioner of Patents  
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Dear Sir:

The deletion of the names of the following persons who are not inventors in the ~~divisional~~ <sup>continuity</sup> application submitted herewith is hereby respectfully requested.

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